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In re Application of

Yoke MIN SIN et al.

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/196,161

Filed: November 20, 1998

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Group Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: MINNIFIELD, NITA M.

For: RECOMBINANT VACCINE AGAINST INFECTIOUS DISEASE IN FISH

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.
- ☐ Also attached:

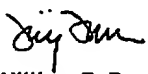
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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 16, 2005, please amend the claims as follows: